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NEWS RELEASE

Motorcycle-Sun Metro Bus Collision

Date: 5/18/2016
Time: 5:07 p.m.
Location: 1700 George Dieter
Vehicle 1: 2007 Sun Metro Bus
Driver: 57-year old Jose Torres
Vehicle 2: 2015 Kawasaki motorcycle
Driver: 24-year old Edward A. Stanton of El Paso

EL PASO, TEXAS: Special Traffic Investigators responded to the 1700 block of George Dieter to assist with the investigation of a collision between a Sun Metro Bus and a motorcycle. The Sun Metro bus was travelling south on George Dieter making a left turn onto Bob Mitchell. The motorcyclist was travelling north on George Dieter at a high rate of speed, ran the red light at the intersection and struck the Sun Metro bus. The driver of the motorcycle, 24-year old Edward A. Stanton was transported to Del Sol Medical Center where he was pronounced dead. The driver and three passengers aboard the bus were uninjured.

This is the 28th traffic fatality of the year compared to 22 this time last year.

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